



In re Application of: AKIRA et al.
 Application No. 10/088,502
 Filed: March 28, 2002
 For: USE OF PLASMINOGEN ACTIVATOR FOR PREVENTING OR TREATING CEREBRAL ISCHEMIC DISEASES AND/OR BRAIN DAMAGE

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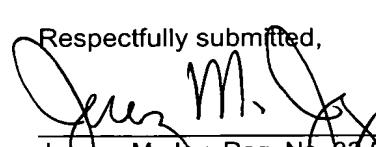
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed October 25, 2004, Applicants request that the following remarks be considered and the referenced application be amended as shown below.